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(b) [x] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is								·				

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being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

#### Fee Calculation

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

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Fee Items	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number of Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra Claims	Fee Rate	Total					
Total Claims	49	- 49 =	0	x \$50.00	\$0.00					
Independent Claims	5	- 5 =	0	x \$200.00	\$0.00					
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee (one or more, first added by this \$260.00 amendment)										
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### **PAYMENT OF FEES**

- 5. The full fee due in connection with this communication is provided as follows:
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 23-0085.

  A duplicate copy of this authorization is enclosed.
- [ ] A check in the amount of \$
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For:

A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR FAULT MANAGEMENT IN A DISTRIBUTED NETWORK MANAGEMENT STATION

### AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendments Hon. Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 19, 2006, please enter and consider the following amendments, remarks, and arguments for the above captioned patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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